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February is Career, Technical and Agricultural Education (CTAE) Month

JONESBORO - February is Career, Technical, & Agricultural Education (CTAE) Month! Each week, the Clayton County Public Schools CTAE Department will feature five (5) CTAE pathways! This week's featured pathways are:

- Automobile Maintenance and Light Repair
- Carpentry
- Entrepreneur
- Finance
- Middle School Connections and More
- Career Technical Student Organization

Pathways, or pathway courses, offer students the opportunity to gain knowledge and skills in a specific career area, preparing them for future success! *The information below/attached will provide a snapshot of the pathway courses in the program, possible careers and salaries!*

CTAE Month is a celebration of the achievements and accomplishments of CTAE within Clayton County Public Schools. Middle schools and high schools have scheduled career days, guest speakers, announcements, presentations, events, visioning trips and other activities to advocate and increase awareness of CTAE programs.

It's important to note that 96% of CTAE concentrator students graduate high school! CTAE is good for students, good for businesses, and good for communities.

**Automobile Maintenance & Light Repair Pathway**

- ① Basic Maintenance & Light Repair
- ② Maintenance and Light Repair 2
- ③ Maintenance and Light Repair 3

Courses ①+②+③=Pathway Completer

**Attain Industry Recognized Credentials**

**DUAL**
Enroll & Earn College Credit

**WBL**
Gain Real-World Experiences



POSSIBLE CAREER CHOICES	EDUCATION LEVEL	AVERAGE SALARY
Automobile Mechanic	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 2-YEAR DEGREE	\$53,693
Automobile Fleet Manager	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 2-YEAR DEGREE	\$100,430
Autonomous Transportation Specialist	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, EDUCATION VARIAB	\$54,400

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**Carpentry Pathway**

- ① Industry Fundamentals & Occupational Safety
- ② Introduction to Construction
- ③ Carpentry

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POSSIBLE CAREER CHOICES	EDUCATION LEVEL	AVERAGE SALARY
Augmented Reality Architect	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 2-YEAR DEGREE	\$82,056
Construction Managers	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 4-YEAR DEGREE	\$108,017
HVAC Mechanics & Installers	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 2-YEAR DEGREE	\$43,555

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Entrepreneurship Pathway


① Introduction to Business and Technology
 ② Legal Environment of Business
 ③ Entrepreneurship
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“ THE BEST WAY TO PREDICT THE FUTURE IS TO CREATE IT. ”

POSSIBLE CAREER CHOICES	EDUCATION LEVEL	AVERAGE SALARY
Entrepreneur	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 3-YEAR DEGREE, 4-YEAR DEGREE	\$70,849 (+)
Product Designer	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 3-YEAR DEGREE	\$78,320
Emerging Market Analyst	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 2-YEAR DEGREE, 4-YEAR DEGREE	\$98,078

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Financial Services Pathway



① Introduction to Business and Technology
 ② Financial Literacy
 ③ Banking, Insurance, and Investing
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POSSIBLE CAREER CHOICES	EDUCATION LEVEL	AVERAGE SALARY
Digital Currency Consultant	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 2-YEAR DEGREE, 4-YEAR DEGREE	\$98,500
Business Merger & Acquisition Specialist	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 4-YEAR DEGREE, CASUALTY DEGREE	\$162,623
Investment Fund Manager	CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATION, 4-YEAR DEGREE	\$115,892

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CTAE MIDDLE SCHOOL Pathways/Connections


✓ Business & Computer Science
 ✓ Career Development
 ✓ Communications
 ✓ Engineering & Technology
 ✓ Family & Consumer Science
 ✓ Marketing, Sales & Service

SPECIAL POPULATIONS
 * Coordinated Career Academic Education I
 * Project Success I

Additional High School Pathways Currently Under Consideration:
 ✓ Veterinary Science
 ✓ HVAC (Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning)
 ✓ Welding

Career Technical Student Organizations (CTSOs)


A career and technical student organization (CTSO) is an extracurricular group for students in CTAE pathways to further their knowledge and skills by participating in activities, events, and competitions.












Featured CTSOs connected to CTAE Pathways in Clayton County Public Schools.

If you would like more information on these pathways, please use the QR code below and complete the questionnaire!



-An official document from the Clayton County Public School System-

About Clayton County Public Schools: Clayton County Public Schools (CCPS) is fully accredited by Cognia. The district offers a focused world-class program based on a challenging curriculum which is taught from pre-kindergarten through 12th grade. Serving over 50,000 students, Clayton County Public Schools is ranked among the 100 largest school districts in the U.S. and is the sixth-largest school system in Georgia.

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